The Carbon Advocate.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1881.

Local and Personal.

—When a lecturer has worked the ladies of his audience so near to the weeping point that they have gotten out their handkerchiefs, and then suddenly changes his tone and speaks of the merits of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, he is bound to rouse a feeling of indignation.

—Edward Bryne was killed by cars at Scranton on Monday.

—Edward Deisher, a brakeman, was killed by cars at Frackville, Schuylkill county, on Saturday.

—Carper Aspenard, a miner, was killed by a fall of coal at Taylorville, near Scranton, on Saturday.

—John Littlehales attempted to board a moving train at Shenandoah on Saturday and was killed.

☞For a clean shave, a fashionable hair cut, shampooning, or anything in the line of hair dressing, call on R. B. Widdoss, opposite the public square, Bank street, Lehighton.

—The Bangor Superior Slate Company has been formed at Bangor, Northampton county, with a capital of $150,000.

—See the fine assortment of gold watches for ladies and gents, at E. H. Hohl's Mauch Chunk, and compare his prices with other jewelers.

☞Before ordering your fall and winter suits and overcoats, you should not fail to drop into the Post Office building, in this borough, and examine the new and elegant assortment of latest novelties in cloths, cassimeres, suitings and overcoatings now opening, and which the undersigned is prepared to make up in the very latest style and most durable manner at prices fully as low as the same material and workmanship can be obtained elsewhere. Call and be convinced.

Respectfully,
H. H. Peters, Agent,
P. O. Building, Lehighton, Penn'a.

—The Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company announces the payment of three and one-half per cent interest on its income bonds November 15.

—For the week ending on the 14th inst., there were 95,095 tons of coal shipped over the L. & S. R. R., making a total of 3,518,446 tons for the season to that date, and showing an increase of 617,875 tons as compared with same time last year.

☞If you wanta nice smooth, easy shave your hair cut or shampooing, go to Franz Roederer's Saloon, under the Exchange Hotel. He will fix you right, and don't you forget it.

☞Clocks, Watches, Jewelry and silver ware for sale, and repairing done at Hagaman's Store, Weissport. 25-yl.

—During the week ending on the 15th inst., there were 148,547 tons of coal transported over the L. V. R. R., making a total for the season to that date of 4,919,016 tons, showing an increase of 1,058,273 tons as compared with the same date last year.

—Water is still scarce, and our people for the most part have to buy all they use for washing and cleansing purposes.

☞Smoke "The Round Head Cigars"—the best 5 cent cigar in town. Try them. For sale by J. W. Raudenbush, at the "Carbon House." 31 tf.

—We had a very pleasant call from Mr. C. Joseph Dacey, publisher and importer, of 921 Arch street, Philadelphia, on Friday of last week, while here on a visit to his friends. Any of our readers desiring anything in the book line should give him a preference. He was formerly with John E. Potter & Co., and fully understands the people in the book line.

☞The best and cheapest books may be had at Luckenbach's, 61 Broadway, Mauch Chunk. Among the works he offers for sale are the following: Acme biography: 12 standard books by Macaulay, Carlyle and others, bound in one volume, 50 cents. Lives of Chaucer, Spencer, Milton, Cowper and Southey, 1 volume, 50 cents. Lives of De Foe, Johnson, Goldsmith, Scott and Thackeray, 1 volume, 50 cents. Young's Bible Concordance $2. The works of Flavious Josephus, $2.

—B. F. Butz, foreman of the *Monroe Journal*, of Stroudsburg, was in town a few days last week, the guest of Dr. Derhamer, and while here dropped in for a short time to see us. Mr. B. is an old vet., and we enjoyed his visit very much. Come again.

—Now is a good time to get your coal bins filled up.

☞We notice that a number of our people go to Dr. J. A. Mayer, at Mauch Chunk, to get beautiful sets of teeth; the Dr., as an operator, is unexcelled by any other in this region, which fact is appreciated by the public. jy30 13w.

—Ina, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Hibler, died on Sunday last, and was buried in the Lehighton cemetery, on Tuesday afternoon.

—Parnell and a number of others of the Irish agitators have been arrested and placed in jail, but David Ebbert may still be found at his popular livery, on North street, this borough.

☞We invite the attention of our readers to the advertisement of the Buckeye M'f'g Co., Marion, Ohio, in another column. They offer fare inducements to earn an honest living. *

—Teacher's Examination.—A public examination on Saturday, Oct. 29, in the public school building, at Lehighton, of all applicants for schools who have not yet been examined. All such applicants are requested to present themselves. No private examinations will be granted.

—Quick train, dust proof cased railroad watches, in silver and gold, at E. H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk. The best in the market.

—Those who hope for an open winter and early spring, with a green Christmas, have no encouragement in Vennor's almanac for 1882 whereupon to base such hopes. By advanced sheets the public is informed that the coming winter and spring will be quite as cold at that of 1880-81, deep snows, ice-bound rivers and frost covered country making it no easy task for Old Sol to create an impression when nearing the meridian.

—A man by the name of William Donnelly started to work in the Machine shop, at Weatherly, on Monday morning, but only worked about two hours when he met with a very painful accident. He was rolling a pair of heavy engine drivers over the floor of the shop, and in attempting to check them, when they had attained a pretty rapid gait, the axle struck his knee and split the cap. He was taken to St. Luke's Hospital, Bethlehem. Mr. Donnelly, is a married man and it is a pretty hard blow to himself and family, having just commenced work, to meet with an accident that will probably lay him up for a month or two.

—Fire was discovered between 3 and 4 o'clock Tuesday morning in the Academy of Music at Allentown. Kiralfy Brothers gave a preformance in the building Monday night, and the fire is supposed to have originated from some material stored in a trunk belonging to the company. The following losses were sustained: Damage to the building, $2000; on stage property, $2,500; People's Tea Store, $2000, mostly damaged by water. N. T. William's confectionery, C. Hergesheimer's restaurant and R. Whal's barber shop were also damaged to the extent of several hundred dollars.

—Philip Ryan was instantly killed on Tuesday in Kohinoor colliery at Shenandoah by an explosion of gas.

—James Trethewdy, a leading mine contractor of Wilkesbarre, committed suicide by shooting on Saturday. The act is said to have been caused by the attempts of a notorious woman to defame his character.

—Rev. B. J. Smoyer, pastor of the Evangelical church, of this borough, will to-morrow (Sunday) evening preach a sermon on "The Sin of Dancing." All are invited to attend.

—The saw and grist mill belonging to H. Deppey, located near Albrightsville, was burned down on last Friday. Loss, $10,000; insurance $3000. Mr. Deppey will rebuild at once.

—Peter Stem, a brakeman, was killed by cars at Easton, on Friday.

—Anthracite coal has been found in paying quantities at Summit Station on the Catawissa Railroad.

—William Kendrick, one of the leading coal operators in the Schuylkill region, died Monday in Shamokin, of paralysis, aged 64 years. He was a native of England, but came to this country while a young man, and settled in the anthracite coal regions. He opened and worked several of the principal collieries, and was manager of the collieries of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company from its organization until 1874, when he resigned on account of ill health. He afterwards resumed business until he was prostrated by paralysis.

—A big bargain for gentlemen—A fine white dress shirt for fifty cents, at the original cheap cash store.

—A new iron ore company, with Supt. Robert H. Sayre of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, at the head has leased the farm of Peter Henry near Bloomsbury, N. J., and at the depth of 18 feet found a mass of ore that would draw 90°, or the same as refined iron. So confident is Mr. Sayre that he has struck it rich that he will locate a spur from the West End Iron Company's mine railroad immediately to his mine.

—James Kerns, a brakeman, was run over and killed by cars at Pottsville on Sunday.

—The iron market continues brisk. Prices rule as follows:—Foundry No. 1, $25; foundry No. 2 X, $23; Gray Forge, $21 to 21.50.

☞E. H. Snyder announces to his lady friends that he has just received and is now opening a new and fashionable line of ladies fall and winter dress goods, to which he invites their early and special attention; also a new and elegant stock of silver-plated ware, including the latest novelties for birthday and holiday presents. Call and see his stock.

—Michael Walsh, of Easton, was instantly killed on Wednesday by falling down an embankment.

—John J. Finck, a prominent citizen of Milford, Pike county, fell dead on Wednesday of heart disease.

—Mrs. Michael McGrath, of Lost Creek, Schuylkill county, committed suicide by hanging on Tuesday. She was in ill health.

—Mrs. Meehan, of Mahanoy City, writes the *Miners' Journal* that insurance sharks placed $126,000 in risks upon her bed ridden husband, who has since died.

—Andrew and Joseph Komy, Hungarian brothers, quarrelled at Allentown on Wednesday, when Joseph struck Andrew on the head fatally injuring him. Joseph was arrested.

Special Invitation.

Ladies are respectfully invited to call and examine my elegant assortment of shoes and gaiters, just received from the manufacturers, which for quality, beauty of style and finish are unsurpassed, and which I have placed at lower prices than ever before reached. Respectfully,

J. T. Nusbaum,
Original Cheap Cash Store.

List of Letters

Remaining uncalled for at the Packerton post-office, Saturday, October 15th:

Buss, Solomon, 2	Hagen, Charles
Denvis, Theo.	Miller, Thom
Haupt, Alfred	Shumaker, Owen
Heffelfinger, John, 2	Schabo, Peter
	Xander, J. C.

—Postal Cards—

Dantzer, Henry, 2	Kemerer, David
Lehr, C.	Miller, Aug. K.

Persons calling for any of the above letters or postals, will say "Advertised."

L. McDaniel, P. M.

Hymenial.

On October 13, at the residence of the bride's parents, Alfred W. Gabris and M. Irene Everet, of Lehigh Tannery, were united in matrimony, by Rev. Geo. E. King. There were a goodly number of relatives and friends present to witness the ceremony. Many handsome and useful tokens of esteem were presented to the bride. After the ceremony the company partook of a bounteous repast. At one o'clock p. m. the bridal party started on their tour of sight seeing. The best wishes of their many friends go with the happy couple. K.

The Big Show.

Lehighton, Tuesday Oct. 25th.—Try It—Joy—one of the greatest panaceas of life! No joy is better calculated to promote happiness, in cheerful company, than in contemplating with delight the beauties of nature and natural history. A day spent in a country town, at a menagerie, a good circus, an interesting museum, amidst a circle of agreeable friends, is certainly the best of all vital elixirs in the world. Laughter, that external expression of joy! It is most salutary of all bodily movements; for it promotes digestion, circulation and perspiration, and enlivens the vital power in every organ. Admitting this fact, don't fail to visit the Grand Circus Royal, Menagerie, Museum, &c.

Re-union of the Fifty-Third Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers.

The Second re-union of the old 53d Reg't P. V. will be held at Milton, Northumberland Co., Pa., on Tuesday, December 13th, 1881. It is expected that a large proportion of the surviving members of the regiment will be present. George C. Anderson of Latrobe, Westmoreland Co., is president of the association. P. H. Schreyer of Milton, Vice President, Jno. M. Caldwell of Milton, Treasurer, and A. B. Mann, of Coudersport, Sec'y. The Executive Committee consists of Geo. D. Pifer, 514 Market St., Philadelphia, Eli Chambers, Latrobe, John McLaughlin, Huntingdon, P. H. schreyer, of Milton, and A. B. Mann, of Coudersport.

Wealth in this Valley.

The published statements of the several national banks of this borough and neighboring towns, made in compliance with the call of the Comptroller at Washington, show the following amounts of individual deposits and loans and discounts at the close of business, Oct. 1st, 1881, to-wit:

1st Nat. Bank, Lehighton, deposits.	$ 73,450 09
Loans and discounts	83,095 24
Allentown Nat. Bank, deposits	1,039,070 00
Demand certificates of deposit	1,114 50
Cashier's checks outstanding	26,984 55
Loans and discounts	798,016 18
2nd Nat., Allentown, deposits	212,746 06
Demand certificates of deposit	53,262 96
Loans and discounts	355,724 06
Catasauqua Nat. Bank, deposits	246,109 26
Demand certificates of deposit	247,066 70
Loans and discounts	653,548 01
Slatington Nat. Bank, deposits	99,044 46
Demand certificates of deposit	562 00
Loans and discounts	90,691 51
L. V. Nat., Bethlehem, dep.	440,549 64
Loans and discounts	558,369 63
1st. Nat. Bank, Bethlehem, dep.	422,176 82
Demand certificates of deposit	7,741 13
Loans and discounts	471,263 46
Easton National Bank, deposits	696,177 77
Loans and discounts	866,542 18
1st Nat Bank, Easton, deposits	570,914 19
Loans and discounts	615,062 52
1st Nat. of Mauch Chunk, dep.	542,077 22
Loans and discounts	929,918 07
2nd Nat. of Mauch Chunk, dep.	460,708 89
Loans and discounts	709,882 04

Obituary.

The following obituary notice of Mr. Tilghman Arner, is kindly furnished by Rev. B. J. Smoyer:

Tilghman Arner, a son of Henry and Katie Arner, (maiden name Moyer) was born September 14, A. D., 1816, in West Penn township, Schuylkill county, Pa. Notwithstanding his exceedingly meagre early religious priveleges, he in early life learned to love and imitate the principles of strict morality, in consequence of which he attained the age of manhood without being contaminated by the enticing and corrupting vices of youth. He was an exemplary young man. On the 15th day of April, 1845, he was married to Lucy Ann Gross, daughter of Daniel Gross. Sometime before his marriage he started into the mercantile business, in which his acknowledged honesty and sterling integrity soon exalted him in the esteem and confidence of his fellows, so that he was elected to public offices of honor and trust. He occupied the office of Justice of the Peace for eighteen years. In the year 1861 he was elected Associate Judge of Carbon county, and served as such for five years.

While thus enjoying the high esteem of his fellowmen, he earnestly sought after the favor of God. And although he had been a member of a protestant church for many years, taking a foremost rank among its most active members, yet he felt the lack of that experimental religion which afterwards made him so happy and useful in life, and so joyous and triumphant in death. About the year 1860 he became an earnest and conscientious searcher after the truth as it is in Jesus. One day about this time, when he was in Philadelphia on business, he was prevailed upon by a bookseller to buy Scott's Commentary, which he studiously and prayerfully read, and ever afterwards prized it as the immediate means of his religious conviction. Being now convinced of the exceeding sinfulness of his nature, and of his need of a radical change of heart, he anxiously sought salvation from sin, at all times, and under all circumstances, and in August, 1862, he tented at an Evangelical camp-meeting for the sheer purpose of giving his heart and life to God. And there, on the 21st day of August, in Snyder's grove, near Millport, his sins were washed away, and he found

"The sweet comfort and peace
Of a soul in its earliest love."

Brother Arner soon after joined the Evangelical Association and remained one of its most useful members until his death. He was a successful class-leader, in the capacity of which he served the church faithfully, almost continually from the time of his conversion to his death. He was also an earnest Sunday-school worker. His memory is embalmed in the christian affection of "Ruth" class, of the Lehighton Sunday-school. The church and the Sunday school have deeply deplored his absence during his weary months of sickness, and now that he is dead, "Our hearts are steeped in inexpressable sorrow. But the burden of sorrow naturally falls most heavily and keenly upon his dear bereaved family, whose greatest comfort now consists in this, that his bright and triumphant death evidences his abundant entrance into glory.

Brother Arner's first wife and four of his children preceded him to paradise. On March 22d, 1875, he was married to his second wife, Mrs. Rebecca Baer, who now with two sons, two daughters and two stepdaughters, an aged, blind father and step mother, and three sisters and one brother are mourning his departure. Brother Arner died in peace last Saturday evening, at 10 o'clock, aged 65 years, 1 month and one day. The funeral took place from his late residence in this borough Wednesday afternoon, and was very largely attended by relatives and friends.

The Coal Trade.

The anthracite coal trade, say's last Monday's Philadelphia *Ledger*, maintains all the firmness of the past half year, and is rendered more active by reason of the arrival of a fleet of vessels this week, which partially relieved the inflated condition of the tidewater freight schedule, so that coal is leaving the wharves faster than it is coming in, and, unless the drouth is soon ended for good by a series of copious showers in the mining regions, there will be a general cleaning up. There was nothing of special interest in the condition of the coal trade the past week. The demand for coal is good, and prices for egg, stove and chestnut are firmly maintained. The production of anthracite coal still goes on at the same active pace as for some months past, each succeeding week showing a material gain over the corresponding week of last year. large as the increase during the year thus far is, it would have been considerably larger had the supply of water at the mines been up to the usual average supply. The orders now in hand are in excess of the product, with little probability of the shipments overtaking the demand. On the contrary, the usual increase in the demand for coal at this season of the year is likely to widen the present difference between the present supply and demand. The want of water and the short supply of transportation facilities do not afford the desired assurance that they will any more than meet the current demand hence to the opening next spring. The collieries are producing briskly, the quantity of coal sent to market last week nearly doubling the quantity shipped the corresponding week of last year. The limited profits realized by the sharp competition in business on the truck lines may have the effect of lessening the number of cars in use. It is believed that most of the trunk lines that are working at a loss will make more by doing less. The great want of cars in transporting coal to the West, it is believed, will be supplied from the trunk lines to coal uses. Hence it is probable the Western demand for coal next year will be fully met, to the further profit of the coal trade. What is lost on non-paying Western freight to the Eastward will be more than made up on West-bound coal tonnage, thus saving loss to the great trunk lines and greatly advantaging the coal trade, which now presents a more favorable outlook than at any time for the past several years. Already this year, with the Western demand for coal hardly half supplied, the output so far is 21,199,527 tons, against 17,160,905 tons for the corresponding period of last year, an increase of 4,038,622 tons.

The total tonnage of anthracite coal from all the regions for the week ending Oct. 8, as reported by the several carrying companies, amounted to 671,278 tons, against 346,983 tons in the corresponding week last year, an increase of 339,295 tons. The total amount of anthracite mined for the year is 21,199,527 tons, against 17,160,905 tons for the same period last year, an increase of 4,038,623 tons.

—The Synod of Philadelphia convened in the First Presbyterian Church, Wilkesbarre, on Thursday last. Rev. Wallace R. [illegible] of Reading, preached the opening sermon. The Synod embraces all the Presbyteries and churches within the [illegible] counties of the State, and a portion of Western Africa, as well as the city of Philadelphia.

Compare the Figures.

Carbon Advocate—The county statements of finances of the Republican administration in 1874 under Samuel Harleman, who is now a candidate on the Republican ticket, makes a very bad showing compared with the Democratic administration of John J. Gallagher; the *Gazette* last week, in a double leaded, long winded article, tried to shut up the eyes of honest voters by comparing two Democratic administrations together, that of John J. Gallagher's administration with Rouse and Boyer's. Samuel Harleman is now a candidate on the Republican ticket for Commissioner, and John J. Gallagher on the Democratic ticket; Harleman's Republican administration spent $17,000 in round figures for bridges. Gallagher Democrat, $4,000. Republican excess $13,000; notwithstanding the fact that all bridges received a general repairing under Gallagher and four new ones built by order of Court. Harleman's county printing bill in two newspapers *Gazette* and *Democrat*, was 35 per cent. higher than Gallagher's in the *Gazette*, Summit Hill *Record*, Carbon Advocate, *Mauch Chunk* and *Carbon Democrat* and *Weatherly Herald* combined. During Harleman's term the county debt was over $40,000; the county is out of debt under Gallagher. Harleman's tax rate was 15 mills on the dollar and that, during the hard times of 1874 when work was very scarce; Gallagher's 8 mills. Harleman's cost for keeping fires in the jail, $250.50—Gallagher's, $152, over 50 per cent. less—that is the reason Sheriff Koons wants Gallagher beaten for Commissioner. Harleman's assessment valuation was 100 per cent. higher than Gallagher's. Voters and taxpayers are invited to examine the county records at the Commissioners' office and satisfy themselves. Besides under Gallagher the Court ordered new and expensive indexes and dockets for the Prothonotary's office, the Court House and county buildings received extensive repairs, more new bridges were built, by order of Court, and all old ones repaired than in 20 years before, and yet, the Gallagher administration goes out with the county out of debt; the assessment valuation and tax rates lower than any other county in Pennsylvania; but look at your county tax receipts when Harleman was Commissioner in 1874 and compare them with Gallagher's term of last two years before you cast your vote. Truth.

Do Not Throw Away Your Vote.

The average church member is professedly opposed to the liquor traffic. He speaks against it. He prays against it. He anxiously hopes for the day in which the vile business will be banished from the land. But when he is asked to cast his vote in favor of Temperance, as the only available means by which Prohibition can ever be effected, then his semi-conscientious soul begins to vacillate between old party-love and clear duty, and he slavishly exclaims: "cannot vote the Temperance ticket, because I don't want to throw away my vote."

No American citizen should throw away his vote. Such a precious prerogative should, indeed, be used properly and intelligently by every voter, at every election. But a christian's vote is certainly thrown away, and worse than thrown away so often as it is cast against Temperance, and in favor of a political party which by word and deed protects the liquor business.

He who votes for either Mr. Baily, the Republican candidate, or for Mr. Noble, the Democratic candidate for State Treasurer, this Fall, virtually and practically votes against Temperance, because the parties which nominated these candidates are anti-Temperance parties. And pray, is not a Temperance man, who votes against Temperance, recklessly throwing away his vote? Beware, christian voter, do not throw away your vote! He, however, who votes for Mr. Wilson, the Prohibition candidate, will not throw away his vote, although his party may for the present be defeated, for he is voting in support of a moral principle which neither of the old parties ever had courage enough to adopt. He is helping to parade the strength and growing influence of a healthy Temperance sentiment. Instead of throwing away his vote, he is sowing seed for a future harvest of Temperance votes, yielding a hundred fold, and blessing the land with overwhelming Temperance majorities. Did the ante bellum Abolitionists throw away their votes when they broke loose from old party ties to cast their votes independently in favor of humanity, morality and christianity, and against the National curse of American Slavery? No; for if it had not been for their heroic courage, four millions of American citizens would still be under the galling yoke of Slavery. The first few despised, persecuted; but earnest and courageous Abolition voters started a set of moral influences which ultimately swept like monster waves across the continent, carrying with them every barrier to human freedom. Had the citizens of Maine and Kansas loved party more than principle, Prohibition would still be to them a very uncertain prophecy, instead of a glorious practical reality. They left the old rum-inspired parties, and wisely appropriated their votes to the greatest moral advantage, by uniting their forces, organizing their ballots, strengthening their centre, widening their circumference, *voting their principles and gaining their end.*

Now which will you do? Sacrifice your vote and your principle by voting with the old parties, or vote for J. M. Wilson and Prohibition, and remain a consistent Temperance man and Christian? S.

Solid for the Ticket.

Editor Advocate:—As I am a regular reader of your valuable paper, and find that it contains much information, contributed from different parts of the county, by correspondents, in the line of politics, temperance and religious matters, I take this chance to send you a letter, to inform you of the feelings of our Pennsylvania Dutch, in regard to our candidate, E. Sensinger. Mr. Sensinger will get every vote in this neighborhood, be he a Democrat or a Republican, because he is liked by all men. He is a square farmer, honest, upright and just, one of those phenomenal productions, who is a credit to the yoeman of the plow. His neighbors know this, and because of which they rally as one man to his support, and when the votes are counted on the 8th of November he will have such a vote as no man has ever had before from this township. The rest of the Democratic ticket is solidly supported by the members of the party. Not one will be cut on the day of election Noble, Packer, Rickert, Swartz, Gallagher, Sensinger, Hunter and Zeigenfuss, representatives of all elements, will receive a united support on the day of election.

Walcksville, Oct. 10, 1881. Reno.

Why Silence?

A National fast-day; a day of humiliation and prayer, recommended by the highest authority of our country, state and borough, and calling upon all persons to close their places of business in respect to our late President, on this, the day of his burial. How appropriate! What great need have we, as a Nation, of such a day, aye! of many such days, on account of our many and great National sins! How great is the need of a true and earnest humiliation before the God we so often forget and ignore in all of our acts pertaining to National affairs.

"The day was generally observed," so say all the papers, referring to services held in various churches, closing of business, etc. These papers know that while all merchants and trades people closed their places of business, the saloons and hotels were open, and doing more business over their bars on this day than on any other day of the week. They know that some made this a regular day of debauchery, and yet they have not a word of condemnation for this insult to the recommendation of the proper authorities, and to the memory of our late President. Why should this class of persons be allowed to fill our streets, on this our National fast-day, a day of general gloom and sadness, with drunken men and boys, creating fights and brawls, and keeping it up until late into the night, without a word of condemnation from any of our political papers? There is but one conclusion to draw from it. They are afraid to offend them on account of their political influences, the same as our legislatures and political conventions,—as witness their acts expressed and implied on the question of Prohibition. In view of all these facts, what Temperance man can vote with such parties? Every vote cast by a conscientious voter, for the candidate of a party, is a commendation of the principles of the party. The principles of both the Democratic and Republican parties have always been and are now adverse to Prohibition, and let the liquor men do what they may, they can, and do always tolerate it; and never bring a word of condemnation against it. Every Prohibition vote cast is a protest against such action on the part of our politicians, be they in the sanctum, convention or legislative hall. Will you, reader, not be one to record your protest, regardless of what others may do? H.

Prospects in Towamensing.

Mr. Editor.—Lately I was passing through the Towamensings and while coming in contact with the people, made some inquiries as to the prospects of the candidates on the Democratic ticket. I found that the sentiment of the Democratic voters was, to vote the straight ticket, with the exception of three men; who for personal reasons and favors shown to them by a particular candidate on the Republican ticket, are going to vote for him. On the other hand I found as many more Republicans who will vote for Democratic favorites, which will more than offset the complimentary votes on the Democratic side. It is a notable fact and much credit is due to the Democratic leaders of these districts, that the sentiment is so strong in favor of the entire ticket. Some inflamed Rejublicans were trying to create some jealousies and prejudices against J. J. Gallagher because he is an Irishman and belongs to the Odd Fellows, how badly the low and infamous dodge, invented by the *incognito* of the *Gazette*, will recoil; will be seen on the day of election. It is true, that no man on the Democratic ticket, is stronger to-day, among the sturdy Dutch than J. J. Gallagher, the gallant Democratic Irish leader from Banks! The cause of this solidification on the part of our voters in this behalf arises from the fact that the Republicans have opened their infamous batteries on him, more fiercely than on any other man on the ticket, because he would stand to the rack and do his duty manfully for the people and the party. So look for a rousing vote from these districts, for every man that is put forth as a standard bearer in this contest, and in the front rank of these place J. J. Gallagher.

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Parryville, Oct. 18, 1881.

From the County Seat.

—The Lyric Choral Society of this borough has been duly organized and is under the direction of Prof. C. A. Webb. The society numbers about 45 and meet every Monday evening to practice the most difficult pieces of vocal music. They will meet next week at the residence of N. D. Cortright, Sr. We presume that we will have the pleasure of hearing them soon, for it is generally supposed that after Concert Hall is completed, they will give a public concert, which will no doubt be a grand affair.

—John Leisenring, Jr., who has been home on a visit, designs returning to Montana, where he is largely interested in a cattle ranch, some time during the coming week.

—Prof. A. W. Vananda has received several Ithaca Organs, which are attracting much attention on account of their superior quality of tone, superb style and handsomely finished case. Every person who desires to purchase an organ or piano should, before purchasing elsewhere, call on Mr. Vananda and examine the Ithaca. They are not only a first-class organ, but extremely cheap.

—Edward T. Kneule, one of the old hands of the "Gazette" office, of this place, left for Chicago on Monday last.

—The brick work of the new Concert Hall is about completed and the ceiling of the market department is plastered. It will not be long before it is occupied, as the rest of the work is progressing finely.

—Persons who have not yet been supplied with their winter coal can get a good quality from John Brelsford, who has again leased the old Tunnel Mines. All those who have used the tunnel coal will not use any other if they can get it. We have used it and know whereof we speak.

—Notwithstanding this being Court week the town has been very quiet, and therefore nothing of importance has transpired.

—The new front of Jas. W. Heberling & Co's store is about completed, adding very much to its appearance.

—Joseph P. Tacey has secured the services of Harry Swangler. Those wishing to have a clean and smooth shave can be accommodated without being compelled to wait long. This shop is still at the old place, in Market square, one door below W. H. Stroh & Son's shoe store, and immediately opposite James Handwerk's hat store.

—Kemerer & Stroh are still actively engaged in life and fire insurance, and are ready and able to accommodate those wishing to be secured by insurance. Before insuring call on them. Justice.

Grand Gala Day Carnival.

Lehighton, Tuesday Oct. 25th.—The Menagerie, Circus, Museum, Aquarium, Aviary and the Big War Elephant, "Empress"—All other Elephants Babies in Size.

Together with a grand army of men, horses, ponies, &c., trained wild beasts, and a novel collection of curious animals congregated together in this vast and unequalled consolidation of Big Railroad Shows. The big elephant "Empress," worth, in gold, $30,000, and costing more than the entire drove of dwarf and stunted elephants described elsewhere, is justly styled "The Colossus of the 19th Century," as her height is over twelve feet, weighing over six tons, and over one hundred and thirty years of age—fairly "a living mountain of flesh!" This monster will be exhibited at each performance, without any extra cost, when, by direction of Ali Abed, her native Indian keeper, she will perform a series of war manœuvres, representing the monarch of the jungle upon the field of battle—the charge, the retreat, the victory—together with many other pleasing and interesting performances, unusual at a tented exhibition. This time-honored and battle scarred brute is a single feature alone worth hundreds of miles of travel to see, and it is very likely that you will never have another opportunity offered to see again this gigantic British India monarch. The American, German, French, English, Irish and Russian circus company, forming a brigade of equestrienne, equestrians, athletes, gymnasts, acrobats, contortionists, Roman wrestlers, mid-air artists, antipodean wonders, Hindoostanee Nauchnees, &c., besides a museum of automaton and mechanical conservatory of art, with fountains of real water and curiosities from all parts of the world—the menagerie being well stocked with select representatives of the animal kingdom, full of interest and instruction, so that all lovers of natural history will rejoice to visit, in company with their families.

Presentment of the Grand Jury, October Session 1881.

To the Honorable the Judges of Quarter Sessions of the peace in and for the county of Carbon, October Sessions, 1881.

The Grand Inquest of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, inquiring for the county of Carbon, in all matters relating to the same, do respectfully report:

That they have acted upon four bills of indictment of which three are found true bills, and one was ignored.

We beg leave to further report: That we visited and inspected the county buildings and find them in an excellent condition, and credit is due to the proper officers in charge for the manner in which they have discharged their duties. We also visited the East Mauch Chunk Bridge and inspected the same and find the same in good condition.

We further report that the old complaint regarding the omission of the Railroad Company to place a watchman at the Railroad crossing at the Mansion House is brought before this Grand Jury for the safety of the community. We recommend that the Court take this matter in hand and appoint a watchman.

The Constable of Mauch Chunk Borough, 1st Ward, after enumerating in his report the names and places of licensed houses, reports as follows: There is no doubt in my mind judging from the number of drunken men on the streets on Sunday that some of the public houses are violating the Sunday Law. I have not seen any of them sell and cannot swear to the fact. This being no definite charge against any one, we think that the vigilance of the proper officers should be exercised in ferreting out the guilty party so that no stigma shall rest on those who comply with the requirements of the law.

We also recommend that the Supervisors of Penn Forest township be requested to put up index boards.

We respectfully tender our thanks to the Honorable Judges and District Attorney for their courtesy and assistance rendered us during our deliberations.

H. D. Rouse, Foreman.

October, 12th, 1881.

THIS WILL PAY YOU.

We consult the best good of our readers in recommending them to now secure the valuable and important information and most interesting reading matter, including a thousand or more of pleasing and instructive engravings and sketches, that can be obtained at trifling expense in the *American Agriculturist*. This is not merely a farm and garden journal, but is very useful to every house-keeper and to every household in village or country. It has an entertaining and useful department for the little ones. It is a journal that pays to take and read. Try it, and, our word for it, you will not be disappointed. Its constant, presistent exposures of humbugs and swindling schemes are worth far more than the cost of the paper. The 41st annual volume begins Jan. 1, but those subscribing now for 1882 get the rest of this year free. Terms: 1.50 a year; four copies $5 (English or German edition); single copy, 15c.

N. B.—Those desiring can get an extra or double specimen number post free for 10 cts., by addressing the Publishers, Orange Judd Co., 751 Broadway, N. Y.

MR. & MRS. SPOOPENDYKE.

By Stanley Huntley, of the *Brooklyn Eagle*. No. 25 of the "Satchel Series," price 25 cts. W. B. Smith & Co., Publishers, 37 Bond St., New York.

This is a book of genuine fun, wit, humor—actually crammed full of irrestible laughter. It is making a great hit and having a large run. The first edition of 10,000 were ordered by the trade in advance of its publication day, and before a copy was issued from the bindery a second edition of 20,000 copies were actually being printed. It reminds us over again to—

Tickle the public and make it grin—
The more you tickle the more you'll win.—
But teach the public you'll never grow rich,
But live like a beggar and die in a ditch.

State News.

The Reading Hardware Company is making 150 stoves a day.

The cigarmakers of Pittsburg have won in their strike for an advance in wages.

There are at present 250,000,000 bbls. of crude petroleum stored in iron tanks in the oil regions of this State.

Samuel Fox, living near Pricetown, Berks county, died in his carriage on Friday while attending a funeral.

J. Martin Robinson, of Erie, was killed by the accidental discharge of his gun while out hunting on Thursday of last week.

The body of Miss Cress, who died at Erie, on Friday, was almost eaten up by rats, after being prepared for burial.

James Davis, a prominent man of Shenango township, Lawrence county, was killed by a runaway horse, on Friday.

Wages of the employes of the E. & G. Brooke Iron Company, at Birdsboro, have been voluntarily increased 10 per cent.

The house of David Craft, in Morris township, Washington county, was burned down on Thursday of last week. Loss, $2000; no insurance.

The large sawmill of Lees Holt, at Leiperville, near Chester, was burned down on Saturday. Loss, $46,000; insurance unknown.

David F. Williams died at York on Friday, aged 59 years. He was prominent in journalism and in the politics of York county.

George England, colored, jumped from a moving train on Saturday while being taken to Reading by constables. He was seriously hurt.

One hundred Swedes are receiving support from the authorities at Blairsville, Cambria county. They want there under the impression that they could get work.

Wrecks occurred to freight trains at Christiana and Collins' Station, on the Pennsylvania Railroad, on Saturday. At the former place four cars were destroyed and at the latter three cars.

Samuel H. Miller, a hotel keeper and merchant at Union Station, on the Reading Railroad, shot William Ginsemer on Saturday night, because Ginsemer and his friends demanded admission to the hotel. Ginsemer died Sunday. Miller was arrested.

William F. Wray, a farmer, of Salisbury township, Lancaster county, aged 71 years, was found dead in a field on Saturday night. Heart disease.

James Murray, a well to do farmer of Waitsburg, Erie county, has been charged by his 16 year-old niece with being the father of her illegitimate child. Murray has been arrested.

James McCracken fell from a window in Pittsburg on Monday night while asleep and was instantly killed.

Robert Cameron, an aged citizen of Upper Merion, Montgomery county, dropped dead of apoplexy on Tuesday.

The body of an unknown man, badly charred by forest fires, was found on the mountains near Ligonier, Westmoreland county, a few days since.

Mrs. Mary E. DeWitt, relict of the late Rev. Dr. DeWitt, a most amiable and well-beloved woman, died at Harrisburg on Sunday. She was 74 years old, and was a daughter of William Maclay, one of the first United States Senators chosen in Pennsylvania.

The parents of the late Bayard Taylor are living at Kennet Square. The mother recently passed her 82d year and the father his 85th. They have been married sixty-seven years.

Ralph Gore, a large contractor of Erie, was buried to his shoulders by a fall of earth on Monday. While he was being dug out another break in the earth occurred, crushing him to death.

A Positive Fact.

Dr. Avery's Diamond Catarrh Remedy, will cure the worst case of Catarrh or Hay Fever.

Dr. Avery's Diamond Invigorator gives health and strength, mental and physical, makes the complexion clear, white and beautiful. Pamphlet free. Read the Advertisement.

At Marietta, Lancaster county, on Saturday, Jacob Frisman and Jonathan Larzalere quarreled about the cows of the latter trespassing on the land of the former. In a fight that ensued Larzalere was fatally stabbed.

The Greenbackers of Montgomery county have indorsed Hon. Henry P. Ross for President Judge.

Lehighton Markets

Corrected Weekly.

Flour per sack	$4 25
Buckwheat flour per sack	none
Corn, per bushel	95
Oats, per bushel	60
Mixed Chop, per cwt	1 75
Middlings, per cwt	1 65
Corn Chop	1 75
Bran, per cwt	1 40
Butter, per pound	38
Eggs, per dozen	26
Ham, per pound	16
Lard, per pound	16
Shoulders, per pound	11
Potatoes, per bushel	1 10

Stock Market.

Closing prices of DeHaven & Townsend Stock, Government and Gold 40 South Third Street, Phila., Oct. 20, 1881.

U. S. 6's, 1881 Ext	100¾	bid	101 asked
U. S. Currency, 6's	130	bid	131 asked
U. S. 5's, 1881, new, Ext.	100¼	bid	101 asked
U. S. 4½, new	113	bid	114 asked
U. S. 4's new	115¼	bid	116 asked
Pennsylvania R. R.	54½	bid	55 asked
Phila. & Reading R. R.	33⅝	bid	⅛ asked
Lehigh Valley R. R.	60	bid	¼ asked
Lehigh Coal & Nav. Co.	48¾